

BRISTOL NEWS

TUESDAY, DECEMBER, 16, 1879.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS.

Atlantic, Mississippi & Ohio R. R.

Washington Time.

MAIL TRAINS.

Leave Bristol at	5:30 A. M.
Arrive at Bristol	10:55 A. M.
Leave Lynchburg	2:45 P. M.
Arrive at Lynchburg	3:30 P. M.
Leave Bristol	1:30 P. M.

FREIGHT TRAINS.

Leave Bristol at 8:20 A. M. & 6:30 P. M.

Arrive Abingdon 9:45 A. M. & 5:30 P. M.

Leave Lynchburg 2:45 P. M.

Arrive at Lynchburg 3:30 P. M.

Pass Abingdon 7:00 P. M. & 8:45 P. M.

E. TENN. VIRGINIA & GA. R. R.

Knoxville Times.

PASSENGER TRAINS.

Leave Bristol at 10:30 P. M.

Passing Roanoke 3:30 A. M.

Arrive at Chattanooga 5:15 A. M.

Leave Chattanooga 6:45 P. M.

Pass Knoxville 11:05 P. M.

Arrive in Bristol at 8:30 A. M.

MIXED TRAINS.

Leave Bristol at 8:20 A. M.

Arrive at Bristol 8:45 P. M.

Wanted.

Sherman & Co., Marshall, Mich., want an agent in this county at once, at a salary of \$100 per month and expenses paid. For full particulars address as above.

Nov. 18, '79—1.

Complete assortment of Cigars at EVERETT'S Tip Top. oct 14 '79 if

MAHONE ELECTED.

Special Dispatch to the News.

RICHMOND, VA., Dec. 16, 1879.

Mr. J. C. Foster:

Mahone elected United States Senator on first ballot.

A. FULKERSON.

The Athenaeum Debate.—The Athenaeum Society, King College, will hold their tenth anniversary exercises at Conway Hall on the evening of the 19th inst. They will consist of declamations, orations and debate. The public are invited to attend.

Bristol Markets.

CORRECTED TO-DAY BY J. M. BARKER.

Apples, green, 75¢ to 100

" dried, 45¢

Bacon, nominal 8½¢ to 10

Pork, net 4 to 4½

" Gross 3 50

Butter, 10½¢ to 12½

Beef, fresh, 2 50

Blackberries, dried, 6

Chickens, live, gross per lb. 3

Dressed Chickens, 5

" Turkeys, 7

Coffee, 20¢ to 25

Corn, 40¢ to 45

" Meal, new, 45¢ old, 50

Eggs, 15

Flour, 3 25 to 3 50

Feathers, 35¢ to 45

Ginseng, 1 10

Dried Peaches, 7

" peeled, 7½

Oats, 23¢ to 35

Rye, 50

Sugar, Brown, 10¢ to 15

" White, 12½¢ to 15

Wheat, 1 30 to 1 33

Wool, 62½¢

All the Leading Brands of Cigars at EVERETT'S Tip Top. 79. oct 14 '79 if

For the Greatest Variety of Christmas Goods go to KING & HILL'S.

Kingsley Seminary.—Prof. Joseph H. Kettom, principal of the above institution, located at Arcadia, Tenn., will hold his semi-annual exercises on Friday Dec. 19th. The Clericalian Society, connected with the institution, will hold theirs on the 18th. This one of the most flourishing schools in E. Tenn., and Prof. Kettom is one of the best instructors we know of.

Fine Cigars a specialty at EVERETT'S Tip Top. oct 14 '79 if

Coming.—Mr. W. D. Jones, of Wood Marsh & Co., Philadelphia, about the best and largest of American Dry Goods houses, will be here next Friday and will take orders from our merchants, which he will fill to their entire satisfaction.

Office Bristol Coal and Iron N. G. R. R. Co., Goodson Va., Dec. 8.

NOTICE TO THE STOCKHOLDERS.—The Board of Directors at their meeting held in Goodson on the 13th day of Nov. 1879 direct a call of five dollars on each share of stock each month thereafter. You will remit to the Treasurer for the month of December five dollars on each share and the same amount each month hereafter without further notice. Those in the county of Scott will pay Mr. R. A. Ayers who is the authorized agent of the company. JOHN F. TERRY,
See & Treas. B. C. & I. N. G. R. R. Dec. 9 '79 if

Genuine Havana cigars at EVERETT'S Tip Top. oct 14 '79 if

The Methodist Supper.—Our thanks are due the ladies of the Mite Society for an invitation to their supper at Faris' new store Wednesday and Thursday evenings. We can promise our readers a splendid entertainment at the Mite Society has never failed at anything it has undertaken.

Corns and Bunions, which often afflict young persons, making their walk any thing but the "poetry of motion," can be cured by Codsen's Lightning Liniment, which is also an excellent remedy for Rheumatism, Lame back and Neuralgia. Price 50 cents a bottle.

For sale by J. A. Dickey & Co., druggists, Bristol, Tenn.

Personal.

Mr. Wm. Chapman of Tazewell C. H. is in town and will remain a few days.

20 thousand yards of dress and piece goods at BARKER'S. dec 16 it

BLOODY DEATH!

"Dug" Thomas Killed by Will Rader.

Great Excitement and Indignation on Street.

TALK OF LYNCHING.

The bloodiest death of many years occurred this evening at twilight, after our paper had gone to press. Mr. Rader a young lawyer of Bristol, and son of Esq. E. D. Rader, stabbed W. T. Thomas, familiarly known as "Dug," in the neck, cutting both the jugular vein and carotid artery, producing death in five minutes. Thomas was a saleman in the store of J. M. Barker, on Main street, and had sold a box of collars to Rader on Wednesday last, alleging that Rader had told him Mr. Barker had directed him to get them on time. This Mr. Barker corrected. This evening Barker and Thomas called Rader to account for it, when he denied the statement made by Thomas. Words followed and Rader drew his knife and in a few moments in a scuffle Rader stabbed him. Thomas merely said "O, I am ruined," and Rader made his escape. Thomas walked 100 feet to Dickey's Drug Store holding the wound with his fingers, but the blood was uncontrollable and he died without another word.

Rader was pursued and captured in the South end of town near King College and is now under guard. Nothing has been known to his discredit heretofore, but quite a number endeavored to get him to lynch him. Fortunately better counsels prevailed. Both the young men are about 23 years of age. Thomas was the son of Mrs. Susan Thomas of Bristol, and brother to Mr. Jno. D. Thomas of the Hardware Store. He was one of the most estimable and popular young men ever known in Bristol. We have never seen more sorrow manifested over the death of any young man.

You can make no mistake, if you have the Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, or if your Liver or stomach is out of order, if you will go at your druggist's and buy a bottle of J. M. Laroque's Anti-Bilious Bitters, price \$1, or 25cts, a package. W. E. Thornton, Proprietor and Manufacturer, Baltimore, Md.

A Special offer. A Good Cloak for \$3 at ANDERSON'S dec 16—1.

"That fellow is drunk," said a man, coming into town, of another going out. "Not at all," answered the jolly fellow going out, "the good bargains I got at HAYTER'S makes me jolly."

Dec 2 '79 if.

Don't Forget It!

That Humphreys & Hicks are live merchants and keep fresh arrivals of the very goods you need most. They sell bargains and especially request that the public will do nothing so rash, hasty, and ill-advised as to purchase elsewhere, before giving them a call. Dry goods, fine groceries, notions and fancy goods, and a full line of ladies, misses and children's shoes always on hand.

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Side-Walk Letter.

ON THE SIDE-WALK, December 16, 1879.

Wouldn't I like a narrow gauge railroad on our side-walks? At last we have the "latter rain," and it has saturated the earth until it spews at every pore. Mine friend, Capt. Bibb, meets me just now and tells me he has nearly cut through the gap south of Dorlot's Factory. Nature seems to have left this cut-off for the benefit of the N. G. In a week the line will be almost complete from Bristol to the Factory. Black your boots and get ready. The party season has come, and Christmas festivities have been inaugurated. Pinnow will be repeated on the night of the 30th at Conway Hall. The Musical Association met last Monday evening, and fixed all that. The price will be low, viz.: 35cts, for privileged seats, 25¢ for door, and 10¢ for galleries. The Favorites played well, I learn, though I was out of town, and did not have the pleasure of seeing them play. They will come again.

Rev. Mr. Gibbs will preach at Emmanuel Church next Thursday at 7½ P. M. This conflict with the Mite supper was not foreseen. Mrs. Judge Trigg and Mrs. Churchwell returned from their trip a few days ago, and will spend the winter at A. Voca. I see Dr. C. T. Pepper on again on the street. He will remain with us several weeks. Messrs. A. Dickey & Co. have gone west one door, into newer, more commodious and brighter quarters. By the way, I see mine friend Jno. R. Dickey again with the firm, after an autumn airing in the hills of Grayson. Culbertson has opened Eurasia Dining Hall between his main door and Parker's, which has been beautifully finished, and now smokes with the finest oysters, cooked à la mode. It is city like, and will please and invite any one. Doggett has a chin store that gets brighter and fuller every week. A more polite and accommodating merchant is not in all Bristol. Bye-bye, bye-bye, Humphreys & Hicks have purchased Mr. Parker's late stock, and now tackle the trade on Main street on their own account. They are nice men and mean business. The Goodson street committee is laying a stone sidewalk on Lee street from the News office to the creek, and have much improved it from the News office to Main street. Mr. Powers, the finest grader in Va. or Tenn., prepared the earth work for it.

Mr. James then took one of the new picks, and in the very base of Clinch Mountain broke the first railroad earth.

The high cash prices will be paid delivered at our factory, or to either of the Warehouses, in Bristol.

JOHN OYLER & CO.

Nov. 11, '79—3m

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THE N. G. R. R.

Establishment of a New Convict Camp.

Dirt Broken at Mendota.

The People Coming to the Superb of the Road.

Much Enthusiasm over the Beginning of Work at the River.

Last Thursday was appointed for the removal of the new convict force to Mendota, the half-way point between Bristol and Scott C. H., but owing to the heavy and continuous rain in the forenoon, Vice President James and the Purchasing Agent, Mr. Fowler, concluded to avoid exposure of the convicts, which a march that day would necessitate, and they accordingly went forward alone and left them to follow on Friday. At 1 P. M. the rain ceased, and despite an occasional stretch of muddy road, the trip was pleasant enough, and afforded quite a good opportunity for examination of the route. Our route was down the Wolf Run Canyon, so blessed by heaven with easy grades, gravelled foot hills and splendid timber, as to seem fitted for our purpose beyond previous expectation. The approach to it is by a very short and moderate cut in the saddle of the ridge that makes the northern boundary of Rich Valley. The cut need not be over 15 feet deep and 100 feet long. Indeed the larger portion of this 100 feet the depth of the cut will be less than 15 feet. This point, where the unbroken, but easy descent to North Fork begins, is distant by the chain from Bristol 30½ miles. There is some little difficulty getting into Rich Valley, but none in getting out of it. Once on the Wolf Run descent and the route is easy.

There will be some troublesome points near the river, but they will and must yield to the skill of our engineer. On our way down we were thrilled by a splendid spectacle fortuitously furnished by the heavy rain of the past twenty-four hours. A large wet weather spring from a niche in the northern hill came pouring down a precipitous stone staircase, a distance of some 150 feet, affording us the spectacle of a snowy cascade six feet in width and of surpassing beauty. Next day it had ceased to run, and like a vision, the attraction had wholly disappeared. Only a mile distant, but invisible from the road there is a permanent one flowing some 200 feet over a perpendicular precipice. The sight of is so splendid that Esq. Taylor intends to make a road by which tourists can visit it. At a late hour we drew rein in front of the hospitable mansion of Esq. Joel Taylor, with whom we spent a most pleasant night, he and his excellent lady contributing in every possible way to our comfort. He has an immense area of valuable land to his credit, ample ground for Depot purposes at Mendota, some three miles further on. The town of Mendota is built on his land. On Friday we found ourselves water bound at North Fork, and stopped for some hours at the residence of Mr. Francis Ellington, who though 80 years of age, is really aglow with enthusiasm over the prospects of the railroad. His doors were opened to us and everything we needed placed at once at our disposal. He is probably the largest individual stockholder of the company, and presents to it beside the right of way, ample ground for Depot purposes at Mendota, some three miles further on. The town of Mendota is built on his land. On Friday we found ourselves water bound at North Fork, and stopped for some hours at the residence of Mr. Francis Ellington, who though 80 years of age, is really aglow with enthusiasm over the prospects of the railroad. His doors were opened to us and everything we needed placed at once at our disposal. He is probably the largest individual stockholder of the company, and presents to it beside the right of way, ample ground for Depot purposes at Mendota, some three miles further on. The town of Mendota is built on his land. On Friday we found ourselves water bound at North Fork, and stopped for some hours at the residence of Mr. Francis Ellington, who though 80 years of age, is really aglow with enthusiasm over the prospects of the railroad. His doors were opened to us and everything we needed placed at once at our disposal. He is probably the largest individual stockholder of the company, and presents to it beside